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**IN THE U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of

Naoko ITO et al. Conf. 1316

Application No. 10/826,294 Group 2168

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**INFORMATION MANAGEMENT TECHNIQUE**

**AMENDMENT**

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October 29, 2007

Sir:

In response to the Official Action of July 5, 2007 and in conjunction with the Request for Continued Examination (RCE) filed herewith, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 14 of this paper.